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September 21, 1982

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FROM:

Gary L. Farp

SUBJECT: Review of Permit Application -

(P.M. #240429-1-407)

The Boeing Company

Please review the attached permit application and return this memo to the Property Management Section with your comments by October 4, 1982.

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Attachment: Permit Application

cc: Farr (2) File

COMMENTS: Based on the information provided, we don't think the proposed solution is adequate nor in the best interests of City Light. The area of our property labelled "Existing Collection Area" should not be used as a sump. Rather than allowing oil to drain onto our property and then collecting it into an oil separator through the proposed trench, the oil should be prevented from entering our property in the first place. We would like to see this problem solved, but we feel it should be solved at the point of origin.

In addition, because the Department is considering using this area for an industrial site museum, additional permanent facilities on the plant property or the adjacent parcel leased to Boeing should be discouraged. The proposal as described is not consisent with our current plans for use of the property.

Finally, it is not clear from the material supplied by Boeing exactly what the source of the problem is (i.e., what is the fire pit used for? how is the water contaminated with oil? are there any other contaminants involved?), where it originates, and how it might be prevented. Also, does Boeing need approval from City Light to build an oil separator system

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within the Boeing lease area? These questions should be answered before City Light takes any action. We also are concerned that City Light may be held liable for any pollution problems resulting from this oil.

In summary, we would very much like to see the problem solved; however, based on what information we have, it seems inappropriate to approve construction of a trench on City Light property for the purpose described.

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cc: Best Lehman Zubalik EAD (3) File

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Seattle City Light 1015-3rd Avenue Seattle, WA 98104

Attention Shirley Lukhang

Dear Madam:

Enclosed is a set of drawings depicting a proposed installation of an oil separator. This installation will collect fuel-contaminated water from the fire practice pits, located at the north end of the runway at Boeing Field. At present, this water collects at the southwest corner of Seattle City Light's power station and floods directly into Boeing's storm sewer.

This installation will require Boeing personnel to dig a 10 feet long by 1 foot deep trench on Seattle City Light's property. Please call Bob Carter on 655-1595 if this installation is acceptable to the City. Your immediate response is appreciated.

Sincerely,

707/727/737 DIVISION

J. W. Bies, Supervisor Facilities Plant Engineering Orgn R-6480, Mail Stop 26-15

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